

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

August 6, 2015



The Lowell Fire, Nevada County

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Note: [Report changes/updates are in blue](#)

SITUATION SUMMARY

Governor Brown Declares State of Emergency in California to Bolster Wildfire Response

- With wildfires burning across the state – exacerbated by severe drought conditions and extreme weather – Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. declared a state of emergency in California to help mobilize additional firefighting and disaster response resources.
- “California’s severe drought and extreme weather have turned much of the state into a tinderbox,” said Governor Brown. “Our courageous firefighters are on the front lines and we’ll do everything we can to help them.”
- See link for the full text of the proclamation: <http://gov.ca.gov/news.php?id=19053>

Governor Brown to meet with Rocky Fire First Responders

- Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. will meet with fire and emergency officials fighting the Rocky Fire and will receive a briefing regarding efforts to contain the incident. The event will take place on 8/6/15 at approximately 1000 hours. A media availability will begin at approximately 1030 hours, immediately after the briefing. The meeting is will take place at Cowboy Camp Trailhead, Colusa County.

SITUATION SUMMARY

Antioch Apartment Fire, Contra Costa County

- On 08/05/15, a two-story apartment complex fire began at approximately 0815 hours at the Delta Pines Apartment complex on 2301 Sycamore Drive, Antioch.
- A total of 32 units were evacuated and 12 units were reported as uninhabitable. The property management offered their Club House as an immediate evacuation center. ARC is assisting 29 displaced families and opened a shelter at the Antioch Middle School,, 1500 D Street, Antioch at 2000 hours. Four people were hospitalized for smoke inhalation but were expected to be released last night.
- No request for State assistance was received.

SOC Activation for California Wildfires

- The State Operations Center (SOC) is activated at Level 3 from 0500-2100 hours today due to the wildfires burning throughout California.
- The Coastal REOC is activated at Level 2.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 1.

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought
- Board of Supervisors Minutes (BoS) received for Plumas County's Continuing Drought Proclamation.

Proclamations

- A Proclamation was received for the City of Calimesa, Riverside County for the 07.30.15 Storm Event. There are no requests for assistance.

Weather of Concern

- An upper level low pressure area over the eastern Pacific will approach the Central California Coast by late Thursday. This low pressure may interact with subtropical moisture flowing in from the southwest to produce showers and isolated thunderstorms. Thunderstorm potential will be greatest from late Thursday afternoon into Thursday night. Thunderstorm chances will diminish by late Thursday night.
 - Thunderstorms are expected to begin dry until Thursday evening as subtropical moisture causes showers which will produce brief periods of heavy rain.
 - As a result, Fire Weather Watch in effect from this afternoon through Friday morning for the northern San Joaquin Valley and Sierra Nevada.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/www_bc_cal.php

Key Points

08/06 – 08/12

Thursday-Friday

- Scattered thunderstorms, over the central and northern Sierra, Sacramento Valley, San Joaquin Valley, and northeast California, with lightning Thursday evening into early Friday with increasing chances for wetting rains into the day on Friday.
- Lightning may lead to new fire starts.
- Some of the storms may be strong with hail, strong winds, and locally heavy rainfall.

Saturday-Sunday

- No significant hazards expected.

Monday-Wednesday

- Another storm system is possible early in the week. At this time there is still considerable uncertainty on the track of this potential system. No significant hazards are expected early next week at this time.



California OES Impact Threat Matrix

Aug 06, 2015 – Aug 12, 2015

DAY/THREAT	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED
Fire Weather	Sierra, Sac Valley, and NE CA	Sierra, Sac Valley, and NE CA					
Heavy Rain/ Flash Flooding							
River Flooding							
Severe Weather	Sierra, Sac Valley, and NE CA	Sierra, Sac Valley and NE Cal					

	High Threat
	Moderate Threat
	Slight Threat
	No Discernible Threat



Day 1 Weather Hazards

Valid: 0800 Thu – 0800 Fri



- **Scattered thunderstorms later Thursday into Friday**
 - Some of the storms may be strong to severe with hail, strong winds, and locally heavy rain possible
 - There is an enhanced risk of lightning caused fire starts

	High Threat
	Moderate Threat
	Slight Threat

Day 2-3 Weather Hazards

Valid: 0800 Fri – 0800 Sun



Scattered
thunderstorms

- ***Scattered thunderstorms Friday***
 - *Some of the storms may be strong with hail, gusty winds, and locally heavy rainfall*
 - *Lightning strikes may cause new fire starts in particular early in the day*

	High Threat
	Moderate Threat
	Slight Threat

Days 1-3 Precipitation Forecast

Precipitation (inches)



Thursday



Friday



Saturday



WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

Weak ridging will promote warm and dry weather through Thursday. An approaching low pressure system will impact northern California Thursday night and Friday bringing a slight chance for showers and thunderstorms to interior areas through the weekend.

Medford Weather:

Quieter conditions today will continue through Thursday. Relatively weak offshore flow will, however, bring low humidities and moderate to poor overnight recoveries to the higher elevations of northern California.

Reno Weather:

Widespread rain and chances for thunderstorms return Thursday night and Friday as low pressure approaches the Sierra. There is also a slight chance for a few showers or thunderstorms Saturday afternoon. Dry weather returns by Sunday with afternoon temperatures slightly below normal.

San Francisco Weather:

An upper level low pressure system off the central California coast is moving eastward. As it progresses Thursday night, associated mid and upper level moisture will spread a chance of showers and thunderstorms across the greater San Francisco and Monterey Bay regions. Dry weather will return Friday morning and continue through the weekend and into next week. Temperatures will be near to slightly warmer than average for august.



WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Sacramento Weather:

A low pressure system will bring mild temperatures plus an isolated to scattered thunderstorms beginning late this afternoon into Friday. These storms will initially generate little rain amounts with gusty outflow winds which will increase fire weather concerns.

Hanford Weather:

Slightly below average temperatures can be expected for next few days. Mostly dry thunderstorms expected over the central San Joaquin Valley, Foothills, and Sierra Nevada tonight and Friday.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

An upper level disturbance will bring a slight chance of thunderstorms today and then San Luis Obispo County tonight. Max temperatures will also cool through Saturday. Temperatures will rebound early next week as high pressure builds back.

Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

Increasing moisture and a weak wave from the south will bring a slight chance of showers or thunderstorms to most areas today. Any rainfall that occurs will be light. A trough of low pressure moving east towards California will bring a cooling trend through Saturday.

Southeast California Weather:

Moisture will be on the increase today providing a threat of afternoon and evening showers and thunderstorms along with cooler afternoon temperatures today and Friday.



Thunderstorms Possible late Thursday and Thursday Night

Low pressure will approach the Central California Coast late Thursday. This low may interact with subtropical moisture to produce thunderstorms across the San Francisco Bay Area and Monterey Bay Area from Thursday afternoon through Thursday Night.

IMPACTS

- Initially, thunderstorms may be dry, which could result in fire starts
- Brief heavy downpours possible later.

OUTDOOR SAFETY TIPS

If camping or hiking far from a safe vehicle or building: Avoid open fields, the top of a hill, or a ridge top.

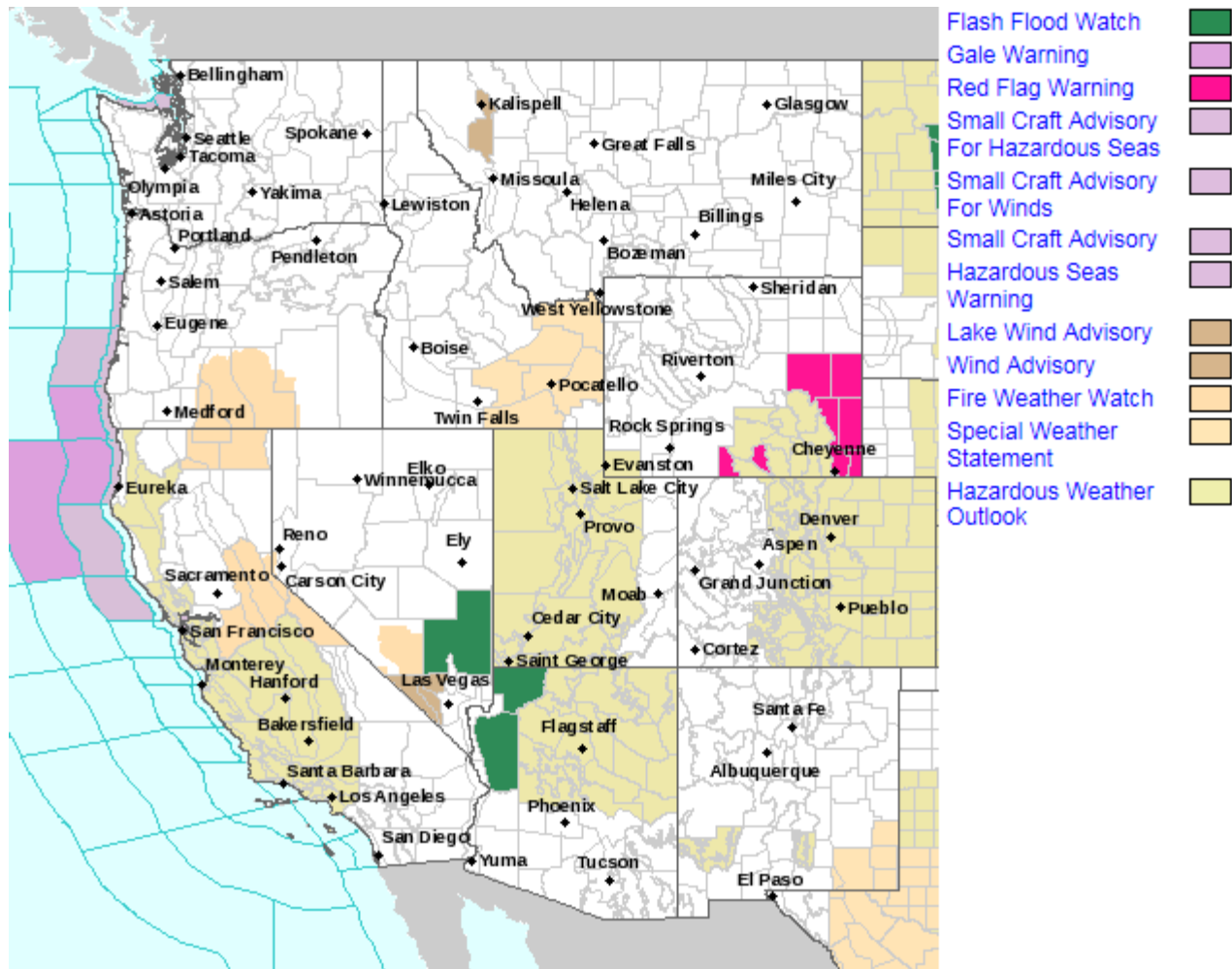
Stay away from tall, isolated trees or other tall objects. If you are in a forest, stay near a lower stand of trees.

If you are camping in an open area, set up camp in a valley, ravine or other low area. Remember, a tent offers NO protection from lightning.

Subtropical Moisture

Low Pressure

STATE WEATHER MAP



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SITUATION SUMMARY

NOTE: Detailed Fire Information will be reported in a Cal OES/Cal Fire Joint Report daily at approximately 0930 hours and 2000 hours

FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Active

- Fork Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- Frog, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County
- Humboldt LCA, Vegetation Fire, Humboldt County
- Lowell, Vegetation Fire, Nevada County
- Mad River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- Rocky, Vegetation Fire, Lake County
- Deer Horn #2, Humboldt County
- Dodge, Vegetation Fire, Lassen County
- South Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County
- Gasquet Complex, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County
- Route, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County
- Nickowitz, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County

Final

- [Wragg, Vegetation Fire, Napa and Solano and Yolo Counties](#)

FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Active

- Cabin, Vegetation Fire, Tulare County
- Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County
- Willow, Vegetation Fire, Madera County
- Chorro, Vegetation Fire, Ventura County

Final

- [None](#)

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 4

Northern California

Preparedness Level 5, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 3

Southern California

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every Monday at 1100 hours.

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 27 Counties: Butte, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County) and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

Cal OES Recovery

Cal OES Recovery - Individual Assistance

San Diego County

- As a result of flooding that began July 19, 2015, in San Diego County, a joint Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA) with the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), Cal OES Individual Assistance, and the County of San Diego OES was completed on Thursday, July 30, 2015. The PDA found damages suffered by the flood did not meet the criteria to request an SBA disaster declaration. The Local Assistance Center at the Ramona Library, 1275 Main Street, Ramona, CA 92065, closed on Saturday, August 1, 2015.

California Specialized Training Institute

[CSTI Scheduled Training](#)

[CSTI on the web](#)



MGT-347 NIMS Incident Command Systems Forms

Description

Learn about and use the most common Incident Command System (ICS) forms. The course will prepare you to work with the ICS Forms used in the Incident Command Planning process to assist in the development of an Incident Action Plan (IAP).

You will be introduced to the forms and will practice how to develop and write effective objectives to manage an expanding all-hazards incident. The course will allow you to learn and experience the benefits of using the forms in responding to emergencies or managing planned events.

Prerequisite

IS-100.b, FEMA Introduction to the Incident Command System (ICS-100)

IS-200.b, FEMA Incident Command System for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents, ICS-200

IS-700.a, Introduction to the National Incident Management System (NIMS)

IS-800.b, National Response Framework (NRF), An Introduction



Date: August 11 & 12, 2015 **(2 sessions each day)**

Time: 8:00 am – 12:00 pm / 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Location: Governor's Office of Emergency Services
10390 Peter A. McCuen (California Training Room)
Mather, CA 95655

No Cost!
(Limited Seats)

To register please visit: <http://www.caloes.org> (on-line registration)

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Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.